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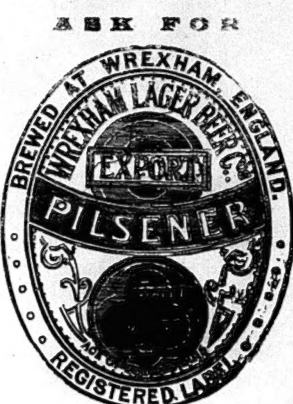
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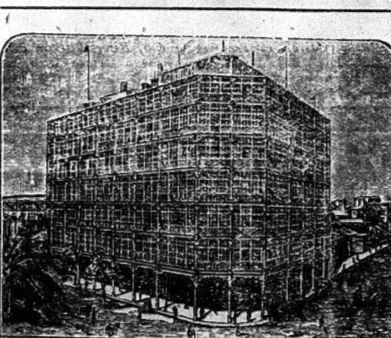
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State of Sea 1-2 Slight  
During Max. Temp. in the shade 19.0  
Min. Temp. in the shade 15.0  
Rainfall 0.0  
Remarks: Saturday was a hot and oppressive day. The first Khamsin of the year blowing from the S. After sunset the breeze fell and the wind veered to the westward. It became dull and cloudy, with every appearance of bad weather. Yesterday opened with a falling barometer but it rose later and the day proved fine, though there was a rough sea.

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## JAPANESE ADVANCE.

## CONTINUED FIGHTING.

## KAI-YUEN OCCUPIED.

TIELING, March 18.  
The fighting continues unabated 30 miles to the North. The Japanese are pressing on both flanks. (Reuter.)

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
Fighting is continually taking place in the rear-guard.  
The Russians, notwithstanding their fatigue, are keeping the enemy in check. (Havas.)

TOKIO, March 18.  
The Japanese, after having driven the Russians out, have occupied a height to the north of Tieling on the right bank of the Liao. (H.)

ST. PETERSBURG, March 19.  
The Japanese occupy Kai-Yuen.  
The population of Kharbin, who are driven frantic, expect to see the Japanese on April 10. (Havas.)

TOKIO, March 19.  
The Japanese have occupied Fakumen, to the north-west of Tieling. (Reuter.)

TIELING, March 20.  
The Japanese have reached Kai-Yuen, 23 miles to the North. The Russians evacuated the town on Saturday after having set fire to the station. (Reuter.)

LONDON, March 20.  
Reuter's correspondent with Kuroki says that on the 13th inst. the repairs to the Hun-Ho bridge were almost completed. Trains will run to Mukden and beyond within a week. (Reuter.)

## ADVANCE TO HARBIN ADVOCATED.

TOKIO, March 18.  
The conservative element in the high councils here which formerly opposed the advance on Harbin is now in favor of pressing the advantages home, and carrying forward the war to its utmost limit. (Reuter.)

## THE CHANGE IN THE COMMAND.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
It is confirmed that General Kuropatkin has started, and that Linievitch has assumed the command. (Reuter.)

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
Generals Kuropatkin and Linievitch telegraphed to the Tsar yesterday respectively resigning and assuming the supreme command, in accordance with His Majesty's orders. (R.)

## RUSSIAN PRESS AND THE WAR.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
The press is changing its tone and now demanding the prosecution of the war. It praises Kuropatkin's energy and determination in the face of overwhelming difficulties, and approves the appointment of Linievitch. (R.)

## STOESSEL TO BE TRIED.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
A commission has been appointed under the presidency of General Roop to investigate the circumstances regarding the capitulation of Port Arthur, and to try General Stoessel. (R.)

## RUSSIA'S GOLD RESERVE.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
It is officially announced that Russia's gold reserve yesterday was 1,349,000,000 roubles, and the circulating credit notes 903,000,000. The amount legally required to cover the latter is only 602,000,000. (Reuter.)

## THE RUSSIAN LOAN.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
Negotiations with the bankers for an international loan of 5% of 200,000,000 roubles have been virtually concluded. (Reuter.)

## THE JAPANESE LOAN.

BERLIN, March 18.  
If satisfactory terms can be arranged, a number of New York bankers are ready to participate with the German financiers in bringing out a Japanese loan. (Reuter.)

## THE BALTIC FLEET.

LONDON, March 18.  
Reuter's Agency learns from Antananarivo that Admiral Rodjestvensky's squadron left Nossi Bé on Thursday afternoon for an unknown destination. (Reuter.)

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## END OF MULLAH TROUBLES.

## ARRANGEMENT COME TO.

OBITUARY, March 19.

The Italian Agent has concluded at Illig an agreement with the Mullah, acting on instructions received from the Italian Government and also in the interests of Great Britain. The latter promises to maintain a general peace. He will take up his residence in territory belonging to the Italian Protectorate and assigned to him by agreement. Here he will be free to enter into commerce except as regards the traffic of arms. Slavery will be prohibited. Colonel Swayne has expressed his complete satisfaction. (Reuter.)

## DISTURBANCES IN RUSSIA.

## REVOLUTIONARY ORGANISATION DISCOVERED.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 18.  
The mobilisation rumours have caused fresh strikes at Lodz and Warsaw. (Reuter.)

MOSCOW, March 19.  
The secret police here have discovered a revolutionary organisation. They seized a store containing infernal machines, hand bombs, explosives, arms, printing presses, and the correspondence relating to the plot to assassinate the Grand Duke Sergius. 300 arrests have already been made. (Reuter.)

## THE NEVA INCIDENT.

## SENTENCE OF COURT MARTIAL.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 19.  
The Court Martial on the Neva incident, mentioned on the 19th January, found no malicious intent. Three officers have been sentenced to 18 months' detention for neglecting their duties, and two gunners to two years in a disciplinary battalion. (Reuter.)

## THE QUEEN'S JOURNEY.

LONDON, March 18.  
Owing to the rough sea, the royal yacht with the Queen on board has taken refuge at Portland. (Reuter.)

PORTLAND, March 18.  
The Queen has left. (Reuter.)

## AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

BUDAPEST, March 19.  
The Emperor has arrived. (Havas.)

## FRENCH ARMY.

PARIS, March 18.  
Both the Chambers have passed the two years' military service bill. (Reuter.)

## FOOTBALL.

LONDON, March 18.  
Rugby.—Scotland beat England by 8 points to nil.  
Association.—Scotland beat Ireland by 4 goals to nil. (Reuter.)

## CONSTANTINOPLE NOTES

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Constantinople, March 14.  
The Roumanian Minister of Public Works is to preside at the inauguration of the new line which the Roumanian Maritime Service has decided to create between Constanza, Smyrna, and Constantinople-Piræus. This line will afterwards be extended to Alexandria, and it is proposed also to create a direct service between your town and Constantinople.

The Hellenic steam navigation company, "La Phocæenne," established at Athens with the object of forming a line between Athens and Alexandria, has also decided to extend the service to Smyrna and Constantinople. The Commission for the Hedjaz Railway has received new subscriptions amounting to P. 287,600, which brings up the general total of its fund to P. 82,355,689.

Mr. Townley, late of the British Embassy at Constantinople, and Lady Susan Townley left here on Tuesday by the Khedivial mail steamer. They propose visiting Jerusalem and Egypt before proceeding home.

Mr. R. E. Weakley, commercial attaché to the British Embassy here, returned last week from Alexandria.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL

NO QUARANTINE IN CYPRUS.—Free pratique is now granted to arrivals in Cyprus from Egyptian ports.

BOAT CAPSIZED.—A boat laden with sand was capsized by the strong wind yesterday near Aboukir. The crew were saved.

TOURIST STEAMERS.—The White Star liner "Arabia" and the S.Y. "Argonaut" are leaving Alexandria to-day on the continuation of their cruise.

CAIRO WATER CO.—Sir Elwin Palmer and Dr. Dacourga have been appointed directors of the company in place of the late Tigrane Pasha and Mr. E. J. Manuk.

THE HIRED TRANSPORT "Plassy," which is due at Port Said on the 26th inst., homeward bound, takes a number of details of the Army of Occupation for passage home.

NEW EGYPTIAN COMPANY.—The Committee of the London Stock Exchange has appointed Wednesday next as a special settling day for the New Egyptian Co. 250,000 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 1 to 150,000 and 193,880 to 293,879; 3,879 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 190,001 to 193,879.

PARCELS EX S.S. "CAIRO."—The Post Office announce that the undressed damaged parcels, saved from the wreck of the S.S. "Cairo," will be sold at the Alexandria Post Office by auction to-morrow at 3.30 p.m. Articles will be on view in a building at the back of the Post Office from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. that day.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.—The last number to hand of the "Graphic" contains excellent illustrations of the recent passage through Port Said of General and Mrs. Stoessel. The "Bystander" of last week has two pages full of snapshots taken at Cairo during the season. The number is a very interesting one, containing many special features.

SALT AND SODA COMPANY.—Mr. John Thirk, who for ten years has been the technical manager of the Kafr Zayat Cotton Company at Alexandria, has been appointed works manager of the Salt and Soda Company at Kafr Zayat. The appointment of such a highly qualified expert as Mr. Thirk will be received with general approval by the shareholders of the company.

THE P.O. CHILDREN'S SAVINGS BANK, which commenced working a few weeks ago, bids fair to be very successful. From the 1st February to the 15th inst. the number of children who made deposits by means of 5-millime postage stamps reached 1,355. Saba Pasha deserves to be congratulated, for the large total of juvenile depositors appears to show that the scheme has supplied a want.

THE AUSTRIAN LLOYD.—Owing to the increasing demand for berths, the Austrian Lloyd S. N. Co. has decided to run two of the best boats as extra steamers to Brindisi, Trieste, and Venice. The S.S. "Salzburg" (3,300 G.T.) will sail from Alexandria on the 23rd inst. at 4 p.m. direct for Trieste, and the S.S. "Bohemia" (4,300 G.T.) will sail from Alexandria on the 10th April at 4 p.m. for Brindisi, Venice, and Trieste.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, ALEXANDRIA.—The annual meeting of British residents in connection with St. Andrew's Church and Harbour Mission was held at H.B.M.'s Consulate on Saturday, Mr. E. B. Gould, I.S.O., in the chair. The financial statement for the past year was submitted, and satisfaction expressed at the sound financial position of the church. Mr. R. Lang Anderson and Mr. John Ross were re-elected trustees and Mr. D. Carmichael treasurer for the ensuing year.

## "THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE."

The second performance of "The Pirates of Penzance," at the Khedivial Opera House, on Saturday night, was both musically and financially a decided success. There was a large and fashionable gathering present. Mrs. Willmore again sang and acted excellently. Mr. Webb performed very fairly as Frederick, considering the strain that had been put on his voice in the last performance. Miss Delaney and Mr. Nolan also were greatly appreciated by the audience. Mr. Trimen, as the Major-General, gave a very good performance indeed. He was one of the few performers we have seen in amateur operetta who knows how to move about the stage naturally. He was a little confused once, when giving the encore verse of the Major-General's song, but really the verse in question was a little difficult. Capt. Tucker, R.E., gave a very good performance of the Sergeant of Police, and the two encore verses which he sang were enthusiastically received. He had quite got over any of the nervousness which he showed in the last performance. Of the others, Mr. Serle Peacock, as Samuel, the Hon. C. James, as the Pirate King, and Mrs. Merton, as Ruth, played their parts with great spirit, but we did not quite understand the change in Mrs. Merton's "make-up" in the second act, which was hardly in accordance with the spirit of the piece. The chorus performed their part very creditably. To turn to the music, Bimbashi Franklin had considerable difficulty with his orchestra, but succeeded in staving off disaster, which threatened in the second act. Dr. Clark, as prompter, and Major Delavoye, as stage manager, deserve our congratulations for their energy and

## ENGLISH GIRL'S SUICIDE.

## TRAGEDY AT ALEXANDRIA.

A young Englishwoman, of the name of Dona Blake, recently employed as a governess in an English family resident at Ramleh, committed suicide on Saturday at "Ipswich" (formerly known as Johnson House), Alexandria.

The story of the suicide is a sad one. Miss Blake fell ill a few years ago in South Africa and was treated with cocaine injections. The drug healed her, but left far worse consequences than any which the malady it cured could have done. Cocaine appears to have entirely mastered her, and she became a victim to the habit. It is evident that while under the influence of the effects of the drug she decided to make away with herself, and made an injection strong enough to kill six men.

The inquest and funeral took place yesterday.

## THE NEW HOSPITAL IN OLD CAIRO.

An interesting service took place on Friday afternoon, 17th inst., when the foundation-stone of the "Ethel Pain Memorial Hospital" was laid in the Church Missionary Society's compound at Old Cairo. About 150 people were present, and, after partaking of tea in the garden, assembled at the spot chosen, at the south-west corner of the new building. The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Jerusalem and the East was present, and, after robing, was preceded to the site by his chaplain, the Rev. N. Odeh, Archdeacon Potter of Cyprus, Dean Butcher, and the O.M.S. clergy. The Bishop conducted the service according to a form which had been specially prepared for the occasion, and several of the other clergy took part.

The actual ceremony of laying the stone was performed by Sir Algernon Coote, Bart. (President of the Hibernian C.M.S.), who used in the process a handsome silver and ebony mallet and trowel which had been presented to him by the architect, Mr. A.H. Skynder, M.S. I.C.E. In a short speech Sir Algernon expressed his pleasure at having been asked to lay this stone, and his interest, as an Irishman, in finding that the ceremony was to take place on St. Patrick's Day. He then described the lack of room in the present hospital, the large number of patients, both paying and free, who are treated in it every year, and the circumstances which led to the building of the new memorial wards. Less than two years after her first arrival in Egypt Mrs. Pain had passed away, having laid down her life in the work. Her husband, Dr. Maynard Pain, who had been in charge of the Prince Alfred Hospital in Sydney until he joined the C.M.S., is still a member of the society's staff in Old Cairo, and it was from his friends in Australia and New Zealand that subscriptions amounting to £2,800 had been received. No grant has been asked for from the C.M.S. in London, but about £450 has been sent in donations from England, £127 by residents in Egypt and visitors at the hotels, while the members of the mission have shown their own belief in the value of the work by contributing £76. The money already subscribed is sufficient for all the building contemplated.

The hospital, when finished, will contain beds for about 35 women and children, and the present hospital will then be reserved for men only. There will also be an operating theatre with all the latest improvements, towards which the sterilising apparatus and an operating table have been already contributed.

Sir Algernon concluded by saying that a hospital of this sort was one of the best ways of letting our works testify to the value of the faith which will be proclaimed within its walls. Shortly before six o'clock the company dispersed, and, in response to a suggestion made during Sir Algernon's speech, contributed P.T.923 to a box placed for that purpose at the gate.

## VENETIAN FETE AT MENA HOUSE.

The Mena House trams were crowded on Saturday evening with residents and visitors on their way to the Venetian fete, which proved a brilliant success. The hotel and the gardens were illuminated with hundreds of Chinese lanterns; there was a fine display of fireworks, and the Bedouin fantasia which took place by the police station was greatly appreciated. The dining-room was crowded, and many parties were given before the fete began. Among those who gave dinner parties were H.H. Prince Haider, who had a party of 12, Sir John and Lady Sterling-Maxwell, Mr. Cunard, who had a party of 8, Count Wulsburg, the Countess Fugger, with a party of 8, and Countess Henkel von Donnersmark, with a party of 5.

In spite of the counter-attraction provided by the "Pirates of Penzance," over 200 residents were there, with many visitors from the other hotels, and though the wind rather interfered with the illuminations at times the whole display went off in a thoroughly satisfactory manner.

All the tables were taken for lunch and dinner yesterday, and among those who lunched in the Oriental dining-room were the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, who were accompanied by Sir Ernest Cassel.

## ZIZINIA THEATRE.

This theatre was on Friday night the scene of a most admirable performance of *Michelle Perrin*, in which Novelli was absolutely incomparable. A high degree of originality and intelligence is put into his acting, and his great talents could find no better scope for their display. He made a decided hit in his laughing monologue "Fra un atto e l'altro," given in his accustomed style.

## NOTES FROM PORT SAID.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## GERMAN LADY'S SUICIDE.

Port Said, Saturday.  
A very sad and distressing suicide occurred at daybreak this morning. Mrs. Boyesen, wife of a Suez Canal pilot of German nationality, in a state of mental aberration, threw herself from a second-floor window in the Maison Slavick, on the Quay Francois Joseph, killing herself instantly. The deceased, who had been suffering from typhoid fever and pneumonia, asked the nurse in charge to awaken the servant, and it was during her temporary absence for this purpose that the terrible deed was committed. The body was removed to the mortuary at the Egyptian Government Hospital for the enquiry. The funeral took place at 4 p.m. The greatest sympathy is felt for the husband, who is left with four young children.

## A NEW DREDGER.

The "Hastings," a new dredger built on the Clyde for Rangoon, arrived at Port Said on Friday and left on Saturday morning for her destination.

## THE BALTIC FLEET.

Port Said, Sunday.  
Contrary to the expectations expressed in my notes in your issue of yesterday, the Baltic Fleet has not yet arrived here, nor is there any further news of it, but the general opinion held here is that both the third squadron and the hospital ship "Kostroma," which passed through the Dardanelles five days ago, have gone to Suda. The proximity of this squadron is evidenced by the presence in our town of the chief Russian secret agent, who arrived from Cairo at 3.30 p.m. to-day.

## THE S.S. "PLANET VENUS".

Suez, Saturday.  
The British steamer "Planet Venus," which grounded in the Suez roads last Wednesday morning, was refloated yesterday evening with the assistance of the tug "Titan," after having discharged several hundred tons of cargo into lighters, which she is to-day reloading. Apparently, the vessel sustained no damage.

## THE KHEDIVE.

The Khedive spent yesterday at Koubbeh. His Highness will preside at a Council of Ministers on Thursday next at Abdeen Palace.

## WARDAN ESTATE CO.

The Warden Estate Company is bringing out a fresh issue of capital, details of which will be found in an advertisement in another column.

We have received a copy of the directors' report to be submitted to the shareholders of the company at their first annual general meeting to be held in Cairo to-morrow. This shows that substantial progress has been made towards the reclamation of the company's lands; 830 feddans were levelled by cattle up to the 31st December last in spite of cattle plague and consequent difficulty in obtaining cattle. The difficulty is being got over by the purchase of a pair of Messrs. McLaren's 20 h.p. ploughing machines; more of these powerful engines are to be employed if the working results of the first pair justify it. The directors report that the result of last year's flood is very satisfactory, notwithstanding the poor Nile flood with which the Warden Company, in common with the rest of Egypt, had to put up with. Tree planting has successfully passed the experimental stage. Sufficient trees to plant 350 feddans are ready in pots to be planted out this year. Twenty-seven miles of flood canal, representing more than a million cubic metres of excavation, has been completed and has been provided with regulators and sluices. The directors having satisfied themselves by practical experiment that the system, adopted on the recommendation of Sir William Willcocks, K.C.M.G., for reclaiming these lands is sound and practicable, are now calling up the remainder of the unissued share capital, and have engaged the necessary engineering staff so as to complete the work in the course of the next three years. Like all land reclamation undertakings, time is required before dividends can be paid, but we have little doubt that the shareholders of the Warden Company who can wait a year or two longer will reap a handsome reward.

## ALEXANDRIA CENTRAL BUILDINGS CO.

This new company, which has been officially authorised, is to have a capital of £100,000, consisting of 20,000 shares of £5 each. The preliminary articles of association were made between Messrs. Francis Allen, Geo. B. Alderson, Ecoffier, Wellhoff, Dickson, G. A. Alderson, and C. A. H. Alderson. The objects of the company are described as follows:—

La Société a pour objet l'achat et la vente de terrains et d'immeubles, l'édification et l'exploitation d'immeubles ainsi que toutes opérations se rattachant à cette branche d'affaires et pouvant contribuer à son développement.

The board of directors consists of Messrs. F. Allen, Geo. B. Alderson, Ecoffier, and Wellhoff.

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Moss liner "Pharos" sailed on Friday morning for Liverpool, via Malta, with passengers, mails, and general cargo, including 404 bales cotton.

The Cunard S.S. "Brescia" sailed for Liverpool on Saturday with a full cargo.

The Messageries Maritimes S.S. "Congo," from Marseilles, is due at Alexandria to-morrow morning.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

The Hon. Darea Curzon, Lord Zouche's sister and heir-presumptive, is in Cairo.

Mr. Henry Pearce, J.P., is staying at the Savoy Hotel, having come to Egypt for a holiday and rest. He is a well-known traveller in South Africa and takes an active interest in politics. During the Boer war he joined the Intelligence Department as special service officer and was the commercial adviser to the Military Governor of Orange River Colony (Sir G. T. Prettyman), afterwards acting Director of Civil Supplies for the O. R. C., which position he resigned in 1902.

Our American and Canadian visitors will be pleased to know that Mr. Monroe, for many years manager of the Bank of Montreal in Chicago, is paying another visit to this country and is staying at the Grand Continental Hotel.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

"We do not hold ourselves for the responsible opinions expressed by our correspondents, but we wish, in a spirit of fair play to all, to permit—within certain necessary limits—free discussion."

## THE WRECK OF THE "CAIRO."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE EGYPTIAN GAZETTE.

Sir,—The official explanation given in the "Gazette" of Saturday in regard to the structures of the International Chamber of Shipping on the conduct of the Ports and Lighthouses Administration in the case of the foundering of the Florio-Rubattino S.S. "Cairo," does not clear up all the difficulties as to the responsibility for the disaster. In the first place, it is said that the captain of the steamer came within the pivot buoy, and, being an experienced hand at entering the port of Alexandria, he without a pilot on board should have either steamed up to the quarantine anchorage or else let go his anchor in the neighbourhood of the pivot buoy. He would then no doubt have got a pilot within half-an-hour or, say, an hour. Failing that he should have waited until daylight. Had he wished to remain outside the harbour, he could have anchored anywhere within half-a-mile of the Boghas Pass, by keeping his leading lights in one and steering in that course. The book of Admiralty directions to the port of Alexandria is quite clear to any stranger who approaches the port at night, and that, coupled with the most excellent leading lights and the breakwater light, should have enabled the captain or even a stranger to enter the port without a pilot with the greatest of ease. How the ship managed to fetch up on the Agame shoal, when the leading lights can be seen on a dark night with a clear atmosphere for seven or eight miles, it is difficult for any navigator to understand. The pilot boats are in the habit of lying on a calm night either at the Tiviot wreck buoy or else lying well outside in deep water, quite clear of the Agame shoal. There is therefore no excuse for any navigator entering the port of Alexandria at night to mistake probably a fishing boat off the Agame shoal for a pilot boat.

Another point I should like to point out is that as the Ports and Lighthouses Administration's powerful tug "Ta'ir-el-Mina" is not fitted with water-tube boilers, it is impossible to raise steam within six hours unless a great deal of harm be done to the boilers. If the Administration had had any other tug-boats available no doubt assistance would have been sent at once. But taking into consideration the state of the sea and swell, it was impossible for any boat, tug-boat or otherwise, to get close up to the "Cairo" until the morning.

In my humble opinion the official who is responsible for the port of Alexandria and the interests thereof is the Captain of the Port. I have been informed that this official, on hearing the news, ordered steam at once to be got up on the "Ta'ir-el-Mina," but owing to the state of the weather found that it was impossible to get alongside. However, the next morning the "Ta'ir el Mina" towing three boats, went out to the scene of the wreck in order to save both passengers and mails, and, if necessary, the baggage. The "Cairo" had a list of 45 degrees to starboard and it was therefore impossible to save any baggage. One mail-room, on being opened, was found to have had its contents all washed away.

I have read a great many allegations in some of the local French papers on the subject of the dangers of the port of Alexandria apropos of the wreck of the "Cairo." In my opinion as an experienced navigator of this port, and of many other ports also, Alexandria is one of the best-lit ports in the whole of the Mediterranean, and therefore there ought to be no excuse for any man responsible for the navigation of a ship to deviate from his course except in case of fog. Even in the latter case there is very little margin for excuse when the hand lead can be used within seven miles of the coast between Marsa Matruh and Port Said. I may conclude these few remarks by expressing a wish that in future navigators, when entering the port of Alexandria by night or by day, will read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest the book of Admiralty directions, which every efficient navigator ought to have, and of course, at the same time, pay careful attention to the chart. If this advice be followed, there can be no possible difficulty in entering the port of Alexandria or any other port—I am, etc.,

Alexandria, March 19.

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## ARMY AND NAVY

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

London, March 11.

Major Scott-Elliott, Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, late second in command of the 2nd Battalion at Pretoria, has been promoted Lieutenant-Colonel commanding the 1st Battalion at Dublin. The new chief of the old 79th is well known in Egypt, where he served for a considerable time. He was with the Camerons at the routing of Arabi from Tel-el-Kebir's trenches, the Nile Expedition 1884-5, and he commanded the Cameron detachment of the Camel Corps in the operations on the Sudan frontier 1885-6.

Captain Bertram W. Y. Danford, Royal Engineers, lately employed at the School of Military Engineering, has been specially selected for service with the Egyptian Army. There are just a dozen officers of the sappers employed with the Khedivial forces.

The report of the Director of the Recruiting and Organisation for 1904, just published, shows that the number of recruits who joined the regular army exclusive of Colonial Corps was 41,279, and the Militia recruits 35,624. Of the latter, 15,648 joined the regular army and 792 men were enlisted for Colonial Corps. A total number 71,699 men presented themselves for enlistment, and out of these 24,658 were rejected—18,816 for various ailments and 5,842 for poor physique. The report emphatically states that the regulation requiring a character on enlistment has materially raised the tone of the army and popularised it amongst the better class of the people.

Uncle Sam's short rifle has also proved a dead failure—like our own. It was to be a like-creation rifle with the "cutest little cleaving rod" ever devised. The lesson in the Far East, where the little Japs have not only withstood magazine rifle fire, but pushed home their assault with cold steel, has not been lost on the Washington officials, who are now devising a longer bayonet. It is to be hoped that our own officials will take the hint.

It has been decided to increase the Royal Naval Reserve by permitting seamen of four years' service to be transferred to it on payment of the proportion of their discharge money. Men of eight years' service can transfer free. The Royal Marines are included in this offer, but stokers and higher ratings are excluded. The order will remain in force during the financial year of 1905-6, at the end of which it will be reported upon.

## UM RUS GOLD MINES.

The directors of the Um Rus Gold Mines of Egypt propose to issue 30,000 new shares of £1 each, thereby raising the capital of the company to £180,000, and in a circular which has been sent out conveying the necessary meeting for the consideration of the resolution they express the opinion that the scale of operations should be extended, with the ultimate object of increasing the number of stamps and erecting a cyanide plant for the recovery of the gold from the tailings. These shares will be offered at par in the first instance to the existing shareholders at the rate of one new share for every five shares held, payable as follows:—5s. per share on application, 5s. per share on allotment, and the balance in calls not exceeding 5s. per share at intervals of not less than three months. The directors hope that each shareholder will avail himself of this opportunity of increasing his holding in the company. The proposal to increase the capital has been sanctioned by the Egyptian Government. The light railway from the harbour of Imbarak to the mine, about five and a-half miles in length, has been completed, and a locomotive installed; the carriage of machinery and stores to the mine is much facilitated thereby. The company owns a steamer, which brings machinery and goods from Suez to Imbarak. By this means shipments from England are made expeditiously and economically. To facilitate the landing of goods a substantial jetty, 157 ft. long, has been constructed. A crane has been fixed thereon, and goods are lifted out of the lighters direct into the railway trucks. At the harbour the electrical power station is practically complete. Two 150-k.w. generators have been installed, and power will be transmitted to the mine to drive the air compressor, hauling gear, and other plant. The mill has been erected at a convenient site close to the power station, and necessary boilers to supply the steam required to drive the electrical machinery and mill engine are completed. The air compressor has been designed to work ten rock drills, with the object of opening up the reef with greater rapidity. It is estimated that there are about 9,000 tons of ore already in reserve. For the purpose of considering the proposals an extraordinary general meeting has been convened at the Cannon Street Hotel to-day.

The "St James's Gazette" remarks:—We do not see any reason why the proprietors should rush to take advantage of the occasion. The directors are of opinion that the scale of operations should be extended by an increase in the number of stamps and the erection of a cyanide plant. But there seems no immediate hurry for this, since there are only about 9,000 tons of ore in reserve, or about enough to keep the present stamps going for nine months.

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## COTTON WORM IN EGYPT.

MINISTERIAL CIRCULAR.

Mustapha Pasha Fahmy, President of the Council of Ministers, has issued a circular on the subject of the appearance of the cotton worm in Egypt. The following is the text of the document:—

Pepuis plusieurs années le ver du coton a fait son apparition en Egypte. Depuis la date de sa première apparition le pays a souffert plus ou moins de ses ravages. L'année dernière, près de la moitié de la récolte cotonnière de la province du Béhéra a été perdue. Aussi le meilleur moyen de faire disparaître cette peste est de prendre des mesures énergiques au moment où les œufs sont tout d'abord déposés, spécialement dans le cas où le premier coton commence à pousser, au commencement de juin. Quelquefois les jeunes plantes sont attaquées en avril, dès qu'elles sortent de terre; le seul moyen de prendre dans ce cas est de recueillir le ver et de recommencer l'ensemencement.

En juin, aussitôt que les œufs sont trouvés sur les parties basses de 1 ou 2 feuilles près de la tige — on peut en trouver 300 sur chaque feuille — les feuilles sur lesquelles sont déposés les œufs doivent être effeuillées et brûlées. Il importe beaucoup qu'elles ne doivent être jetées dans les canaux ou "sakiehs", où les œufs éclorent et font plus de mal que si ils n'avaient pas été recueillis. La période d'incubation est de 3 ou 4 jours, et il est de la plus grande importance que les feuilles soient ramassées au moment où les œufs sont déposés.

Deux ou trois jours après que les vers éclorent, ils quittent leurs feuilles pour s'étendre sur les autres dans toutes les directions. Les jeunes vers croissent rapidement et dévorent avec avidité durant 18 à 22 jours jusqu'à ce qu'ils tombent sur le sol et se forment en chrysalides; ceci dure encore 8 à 10 jours. A la fin de cette période, la chrysalide quitte sa coque et après 24 à 48 heures se prépare à former de nouveaux œufs. Cette formation se produit trois fois, en juin, juillet et août.

Dès que les œufs apparaissent, chaque feuille attaquée doit être enlevée et brûlée. Si cette opération est faite, il n'y a aucune crainte à avoir. Les cultivateurs intelligents sont vigilants et prennent des mesures immédiates, mais quelques-uns sont négligents et les champs de leurs voisins souffrent comme leurs propriétés. En conséquence un décret a été soumis à cet effet à l'Assemblée Générale.

Après l'effeuillage et la brûlure des feuilles attaquées, près de 30 jours après l'apparition des œufs, quand le ver devient chrysalide et a été 4 à 5 jours dans la terre, il est nécessaire d'irriguer le coton quelque peu rapidement. Après l'apparition des premières plantes en juin, le bersim est presque fini, et aussitôt que la récolte de bersim est terminée, le champ doit être labouré et si le ver existe, il doit être d'abord irrigué.

Comme il a été dit, il y a 3 formations différentes dont la dernière apparaît en août et est la plus destructive, et cela parce que les formations de juin et de juillet ne sont pas combattues vigoureusement; il n'existe plus de bersim, tous les vers attaquent le coton. Il est impossible d'insister assez énergiquement sur l'importance des mesures immédiates générales et systématiques, dès que les œufs apparaissent au commencement de juin. En juillet, les opérations seront recommencées et en août, si ces mesures de précaution sont effectivement prises, les risques de sécheresse de la récolte du coton seront réduites au minimum.

Des instructions seront envoyées après la promulgation du décret: 1. pour l'organisation d'un service chargé de mettre en vigueur le décret d'une manière effective et 2. pour prévenir tous les abus pouvant provenir de l'application de ce système.

## IMPORTATION OF CATTLE.

The following official statement has been issued by the Quarantine Board:—

Il a été décidé de rapporter la résolution prise par le Conseil et par laquelle il autorisait l'importation des bovidés provenant de contrées primitivement interdites et destinés au labour et leur introduction dans le pays après avoir été assujettis à des mesures spéciales.

En conséquence, les autorisations qui avaient été octroyées par l'Administration Quarantenaire pour l'introduction en Egypte de bovidés de labour provenant de contrées interdites sont et demeurent abrogées. Toutefois, un délai maximum de 30 jours expirant le 17 Avril 1905 est accordé pour permettre aux intéressés d'importer les bestiaux éventuellement en cours de route, sans préjudice, bien entendu, des autres mesures en vigueur.

En d'autres termes, passé le délai de 30 jours expirant le 17 Avril 1905, l'application du règlement quarantenaire concernant les animaux sera rétablie dans toutes ses dispositions.

## A PILGRIM'S TESTIMONY.

We have received the following letter, which bears every appearance of being a genuine testimony to the excellence of the arrangements of the Quarantine Board. We publish it without amending the English of the original:—

To THE DIRECTOR OF THE EGYPTIAN GAZETTE.

Dear Sir,—I have the honour to inform you that we had arrived here after many troubles we faced in Hedjaz. We faced every thing all right at Tor. We faced Dr. Rooster and Mahmoud Bey Rasmy, the Mamour of Interior Ministry, very kind to us and other pilgrims, they always asking about the health, rest, food of Hodjazes. We faced Railway carry our baggage.

Dear Sir, we ask your favour to write in your newspaper our thanks to the Egyptian Government.—Yours faithfully servant,

KASSIM HAFEEL DEEN  
from Cape Town, South Africa.

Tor, March 15,

## SPORT AND PLAY.

K. S. C.

### LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The following are the results of play on Thursday last:—

GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES (OPEN). 3rd round: A. E. Delavoie beat E. W. Watson by 2 sets to love (6-0, 6-4). A. R. Lempriere beat D. T. Timins by 2 sets to love (6-1, 6-2). R. C. Moser beat D. G. Morice by 2 sets to love (6-4, 6-3).

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES (HANDICAP). 3rd round: C. A. G. Mackintosh and W. H. Hill (-5/6) beat A. E. Delavoie and F. F. Duffus (-1/6) by 2 sets to love with scores of 6-4, 8-6. G. B. Stanistreet and D. G. Morice (-15/3) beat G. Scott-Dalglish and S. J. Hardy (-1/6) by 2 sets to love, (6-2, 6-2).

MIXED DOUBLES (HANDICAP). 2nd round: R. B. Paten, Miss Johnston (-15/3) beat G. O. Bigge and Hon. Mrs. Davey (-1/6) by 2 sets to love.

3rd round: R. B. Paten and Miss Johnston (-15/3) beat C. A. G. Mackintosh and Miss de Villebois by 2 sets to 1, (6-3, 4-6, 6-2). G. B. Stanistreet and Mrs. Purvis (-15) beat D. G. Morice and Mrs. Royle (+1/6) by 2 sets to love, (6-4, 6-3).

LADIES' DOUBLES (HANDICAP). Semi-final: Mrs. Royle and Mrs. Trevithick (+4/6) beat Hon. Mrs. Davey and Mrs. Wild (+1/6) by 2 sets to love, (6-4, 6-4).

On Tuesday and Wednesday next there will be a lawn tennis (American) tournament, open to ladies only, singles and doubles, on the Ghezireh ground.

### FOOTBALL.

MINIIEH v. SOHAG.

Our Assiout Correspondent, writing on Friday last, says:—

A football match took place to-day between the boys of the Miniieh and Sohag Government Schools. At 3.30 p.m. the game commenced in the playground of the American Mission School near the Assiout Barrage. More than two thousand people were present, among whom were the Wefel of the Moudirieh, members of the Native Court and Parquet, and several notables of the town. An Inspector of the Finance Ministry acted as umpire. After an hour's fight the Miniieh School boys won by two goals to nil. It was noticed, however, that there was a great difference in age between the boys of the two schools, those of Sohag not exceeding 12 or 14 years of age, while those of Miniieh had amongst them some of 20 and 24 years. One of the Sohag boys was dangerously hurt in the eye and he was ordered fifteen days' medical treatment. At the end of the game the silver cup, awarded by the Ministry of Public Instruction to the winning team, was given to the Miniieh boys amid shouts of "Hip, Hip, Hurrah." Both teams afterwards left for their own towns in the hope of meeting here again next year.

### TANTAH v. RAS-EL-TIN.

A football match was played last Friday between Tantah and Ras-el-Tin Government School on Tantah playground. Mr. Stewart, of the Finance Ministry, acted as referee and the game was watched by many spectators. Kick off was at 3 p.m. and at half-time the Alexandria boys had scored four goals to nil. In the second half one more goal brought the result to 5 goals to nil. Such a brilliant victory caused great excitement among the Tantah boys, and consequently some disorder followed, but nothing serious happened owing to the efforts of the Mamour of the Tantah City police, who succeeded in maintaining order.

### AMATEUR ATHLETIC SPORTS.

We would remind our readers of the Alexandria Amateur Athletic Club's Sports, which will be held on the Sporting Club's ground (kindly granted for the occasion) on Wednesday, April 12. The meeting, with the exception of the two open events, is confined to members of the club. Membership may be obtained by early application to the hon. secretary, enclosing names of proposer and seconder, who must be members of the club. It is hoped that the numerous athletes at present in Egypt will take advantage of this, the only athletic meeting in Alexandria.

Entry forms may be had on application to the hon. secretary, Mr. R. B. McLean, Eastern Telegraph Co., Alexandria.

The Sporting Club's ground is now open for training and all the accessories will be found there.

### LIST OF EVENTS (CONFINED).

- No. 1 100 yards Flat Race. Previous winners penalised. 3 prizes.
- " 2 120 yards Hurdle Race. (Handicap). 3 prizes.
- " 3 150 yards Flat Race. (Handicap). 3 prizes.
- " 4 220 yards Flat Race. (Handicap). 3 prizes.
- " 5 1/4 mile Flat Race. (Handicap). 3 prizes.
- " 6 1/2 mile Flat Race. (Handicap). 3 prizes.
- " 7 Long Jump. (Handicap). 2 prizes.
- " 8 High Jump. (Handicap). 2 prizes.
- " 9 Pole Jump. 2 prizes. Previous winners penalised.
- " 10 Putting the Shot. 16lbs. (Handicap). 2 prizes.
- " 11 Children's Race, 60 yards. (Handicap). Under 7 years. No post entries.
- " 12 European Boys' Race, 100 yards. (Handicap). Over 7 and under 12 years of age. 3 prizes. No post entries.
- N.B. 11 and 12 Children of Members only.
- No. 13 Native Boys' Race, 100 yards (Handicap). Under 12 years of age, pupils in any

school in Alexandria or Ramleh, nominated by headmaster. 3 prizes. Entries to be sent accompanied by headmaster's nomination and statement of age.

- " 14 Obstacle Race. Open to All Comers. 3 prizes £2, £1 and 10s. Each competitor completing the course will receive P.T. 10, if finishing not more than 2 minutes after first man.
- " 15 Sack Race for Non-Commissioned Officers and men—Navy and Army. 3 Prizes. £1, 10/-, 5/-.
- " 16 Tug of War. Open to Navy and Army. Prize £5. Provided that at least 3 teams compete.
- " 17 Veterans' Race. 120 yards (Handicap). Open to Members only. Minimum age 35 years. Previous winners penalised. Handicap, 1 yard per year up to 45 years, 46 years and over will receive a bonus of 1/2 yard per year after the 45 years limit. Post entries accepted.

### OPEN EVENTS.

- 100 yards Scratch. Previous winners penalised, 3 prizes.
- 220 yards Handicap " " " 3 prizes.

A prize will be presented by the Earl of Cromer, G.C.B., &c., to the competitor obtaining the greatest number of points in Events Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.

No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the entrance fee.

Every competitor must show his form before the handicappers, or if not domiciled in Alexandria must furnish to the handicappers a record of his previous performances at distance entered for.

Entries must be sent to the Hon. Sec. on or before Saturday, 1st April, after which date no entry will be accepted. Entries for Events 14 and 15 received on the course.

The handicappers will be on the Sporting Club grounds from 27th March to 1st April inclusive at the following hours:—8 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

## Calendar of Coming Events

### ALEXANDRIA.

- March.
  - Mon. 20 Zizania Theatre. Com. Novelli's company in *L'Istruttoria* 9 p.m.
  - Abbas Helmy Theatre. Italian Opera. *La Traviata* 9 p.m.
  - Alhambra. Variety Entertainment and Ballet. 9.15 p.m.
- Thurs. 23 Zizania Theatre. Grand Concert by the Viennese Choral Society.
- Fri. 24 Alderson's Garden. Variety Entertainment. 4 p.m.
- Sat. 25 British Rifle Club. Practice on Mustapha Range. 2.30 p.m.
- Eden Theatre. German Sportverein's annual Entertainment.
- Sun. 26 Gabbari. Pigeon Shooting. 2.30 p.m.
- Tues. 28 A.L.M. & D.S. Lecture on "History of Music and Acoustics," by Rev. R. Rynd, B.A.

### CAIRO.

- March.
  - Mon. 20 Theatre des Nouveautés. Variety Entertainment. 9.30 p.m.
  - Trocadero. Variety Entertainment. 9.30 p.m.
  - Regular Meeting Ragheb Craft Lodge E.C. 9 p.m. Masonic Hall, Boulac-road. Initiations, Passing, and Raising. Visitors cordially invited.
- Wed. 22 Shepherd's Hotel. Small Dance. K.S.C. Skye Meeting. 3.30 p.m.
- Masonic Hall. Meeting Idris Lodge. No. 43. 9 p.m.
- Thurs. 23 Khedivial Sporting Club. Ghezireh Government Schools' Athletic Sports, under Patronage of H.H. the Khedive.
- Continental Hotel. Lecture by M. Maspero on "Le Tombeau récemment découvert à Thèbes, for Century Club. 5 p.m.
- Ghezireh Palace Hotel. Small Dance. 10 p.m.
- Fri. 24 Mena House. Gymkhana.
- Zoological Gardens. Performance by Ghizeh Boys' Band in afternoon.
- Khedivial Opera House. Viennese Choral Society.
- Sat. 25 Ghezireh Horticultural Show.
- Shepherd's Hotel. Band Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. 4 to 6 p.m.
- Savoy Hotel. Small Dance. 10 p.m.
- Ragheb Mark Lodge. No. 510.
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## NOTES FROM SUAKIN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Suakin, March 8.

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Kaimakam Kennedy Bey, Director, Sudan Works Department, has gone to Sheikh Barghout for the purpose of planning out the new town and roads and other works. Kennedy Bey will be followed up by several Greek engineer contractors, who have previously worked for him at Khartoum, so as to seize the opportunity of work on the spot, when the tenders for work are issued.

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